

Society

Marie Rose
Phone 611

Miss Anna D. Fish will spend the week-end with friends in Bowling Green.

Miss Margaret Spaulding of Columbia spent a few days of the week in Mexico the guest of Miss Archie Cook, Frances Mason and Mrs. Sam Sharp.

Miss Alice Howard visited friends in Moberly this week.

Miss Dorothy Holmes spent part of the week in Troy the guest of relatives.

Mrs. J. A. Quibbe was the guest of friends in Fulton this week.

Dr. Regan, Kansas City, spent last Sunday here the guest of one of Mexico's fair ones.

Mrs. Guy McCune of Vandalia was a Mexico visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. M. F. Horton visited friends in Carrollton this week.

Miss Frances Guthrie will visit in St. Louis next week.

Mrs. Claggett Offutt and children of Kansas City are here the guests of Mrs. Eugene Tomlinson.

Miss Gertrude Fry entertained about thirty guests with games and music, Thursday evening in honor of Miss Eleanor Allison, her house guest.

A delightful evening was spent at games, after which a delectable salad course lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Aylotte Whitney entertained with a buffet luncheon Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. Ayers of Detroit. Other guests were Messrs. and Mrs. Fred Picher, Fred Morris, Wallace Fry and Mr. Dan Dudley.

Mrs. Charles Claybrook had a tea in to lunch Wednesday. The guests were Messrs. Rixey, Van Ness and Elton Dearing.

Mrs. Robert Arnold, Jr., entertained the F. A. E. Club Monday afternoon. A dozen guests were in their places at the usual time. Miss See was the fortunate one in the game. Mrs. Arnold served a palatable lunch.

Mrs. W. J. Bots and small daughter, Elizabeth, Misses Lucile Howell and Bertha Bots spent Friday in Con train the guests of Mrs. Emma Gardner.

Mrs. M. R. Cary invited in a few of her friends to spend the afternoon with her Thursday. A delectable lunch was served at 5 o'clock. Those present were Misses Frances Guthrie, Josephine Wallace, Marie Rose, Willie Robinson and Elizabeth Parker. Messrs. Homer Marshall and H. W. Gibbs and small daughter, Ruth.

The Stoddard Society of the Presby terian Church had an all day meeting Thursday to sew for the poor. A great deal of work was accomplished and a social hour was enjoyed.

Miss Elizabeth Parker entertained the Hopetown Club Tuesday afternoon. Eleven members and eleven visitors were present to enjoy sewing quietly (7) for an hour. The extra guests were Misses Edith Crosby, Irene Roden, Lila Bots, Ethel Reed, Virginia Parker, Lillie Bell, LaRette Warden, Grace and Helen Averitt and Mrs. Marie Cary. The hostess served a delectable salad course.

Mrs. R. M. White invited the 12 of the club to her home on Tuesday. A delightful hour was spent at the games where Miss Lena Johnson proved herself most competent by winning the prize, a book. Mrs. White served dainty refreshments.

Miss Elizabeth Price took several of her friends to the Lyric Monday afternoon, afterward refreshing them with lunch at The Glen. The guests were Misses Frances Guthrie, Bertha Bots, Lela Winans, Yea Barley, and Mrs. Martin Yates.

Miss Ruth Durkee was hostess for the 12 of the club Thursday afternoon. All twelve members were present and Mrs. W. R. Kohl was the only guest. A palatable lunch was served.

Mrs. W. C. Johnson gave an enjoyable noon day luncheon Monday in honor of Mr. James Trimble of Kansas City. The guests were Messrs. G. W. Robertson, R. R. Arnold, W. W. Walker, Pollock, Wallace and Elton Dearing.

Mrs. W. W. Pollock has continued her delightful entertainments although she is not spending the winter at her beautiful country home "Pollock Place." She was hostess at a 1 o'clock luncheon on Tuesday to the following ladies: Messrs. Van Ness, Will Wilkins, Wallace and Elton Dearing, W. C. Johnson with Mrs. J. G. Trimble, Misses Kate Luckie, Georgia, Frances Guthrie. The table decoration were pink carnations; a flower was placed at each plate.

The Wednesday Club met with Mrs. W. C. Johnson. Thirteen members were present. Miss Mary Houston led the lesson. Special duties were Coonson's "Local" compared with other epics. Mrs. Farris, LaMartha, Forrester, Mrs. Paul, LaMartha and Current. Events Music and Art. Mrs. Cuthbert. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hewell.

GUS GRAHAM NOW IN CHARGE

Gus Graham has taken charge of the Bell Telephone Co. plant in this city and E. L. Coss, who has been city manager for several years, has gone to Lancaster, Mo., to take charge of the company's plant there. He will also have charge of the exchange at Glenwood. Mr. Graham has been in charge of the plant at Moberly for several years and is thoroughly competent. His many friends in Mexico are glad to welcome him home.

While the Ledger regrets to have Mr. Coss leave here we join in wishing him much success in his new home.

FIRE FRIDAY NIGHT

A negro house, in Flat Rock, belonging to Gus Stetman was badly damaged by fire about 10 o'clock Friday night. The fire is supposed to have started from an overloaded stove. The loss which will amount to about \$300 is covered by insurance. Doshia Williams occupied the house.

STOCKTON FOUNTAIN MAY RUN

Stockton fountain, of Centralla well known in Mexico, is being urged by a number of farmers to make the race for representative of Boone county in the State legislature. Mr. Fountain is a splendid young man and would, no doubt, put up a good race.

READ LEDGER WANT ADS

THIS MAY INTEREST YOU!

There are plenty of Sales in the Clothing World but None to Equal This One

Every Thing in This Store at 1-4 Off The Selling Price 1-4 Off

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Overalls, Work Shirts Cotton Flannel Gloves & Mitts

THE warm fall and winter has left us with more Overcoats, more Suits, more Underwear, more Caps, more Hats, more Shirts (Except Work Shirts,) more Furnishings, more Suit Cases, more Hand Bags, more Trunks than we need. We will sacrifice them to the public. Our loss is your gain. This Sale you know coming from us is a boni fide proposition when we say $\frac{1}{4}$ off-- 25% discount from our One Price selling price.

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MISS ISABELLE GREGORY OUT OF DANGER

Miss Isabelle Gregory who has been quarantined on account of smallpox is very much improved and entirely out of danger. Miss Isabelle's friends will be glad to know her attack has been very light and she will be able to be out again in a few days.

WHEN YOU ARE BILIOUS

Food ferments in your stomach when you are bilious. Quit eating: take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will clean out and strengthen your stomach and to-morrow you will relish your food again. The best ever for biliousness. For sale by Buckner Drug Co.

LOCAL AGENT PROMOTED

Frank Dunnington, who has been agent for the Wells-Fargo Express Co. in this city the past year, has been transferred to Hannibal where he has been promoted to the position of cash for the Wells-Fargo, Adams, and American Express Companies, which have a joint agency. W. L. Dinkle, Columbia, will succeed Mr. Dunnington in Mexico. He has been in the Columbia office for the past six years and is thoroughly competent. We regret to have Mr. Dunnington leave but join in wishing him much success.

Accidents

always come when least expected. The wise man carries an Inter-Ocean accident policy so he and his family are protected in case of a serious accident. Such expenditures are always wise ones. See me today.

H. B. Plunkett
District Manager
Room 13 French Bldg.

BIG SALE OF FAT MULES.

The sale of 265 fat mules at the fair grounds here last week was the best of the season for Callaway mule feeders. Those sold at home have brought an average of more than \$300, and the sales reflect any uneasiness the feeders might have had concerning market conditions. Besides those sold this week, three loads that were sold two weeks ago have gone to market, and three loads were shipped, without being sold--Fulton Sun.

CHRONIC INDIGESTION PERMANENTLY CURED.

"Six years ago," writes S. E. Carpenter, East Aurora, N. Y., "I was in very bad shape suffering from indigestion, could not eat solid food, when a friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Tablets. I found such relief from one box that I continued using them until cured, and though six years have elapsed I have not felt the slightest return of my former trouble. For sale by Buckner Drug Co."

WOMAN REFUSES OPERATION

Tells How She Was Saved by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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STERNER TRADES GROCERY STOCK.

J. E. Sterner has traded his stock of groceries and meat market to Paul Hudson for a 134-acre farm, 2 miles east of Moberly. Mr. Hudson is undecided whether he will run the grocery business personally or not. Mr. Sterner is also undecided what he will do, but the Ledger joins his friends in wishing him to remain in Mexico.

Holiness Services--Sabbath School, and 7.30 p. m. Except the second 8.30 Devotional services at 11 a. m. and fourth Sabbath there will be preaching morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Services above Ricketts & Emmons' store. Everybody invited to worship the Lord with us.

Rev. Turnage to Mexico.

Rev. I. M. Turnage and family removed to Mexico Thursday where they will make their future home. Rev. Turnage has retained the pastorate of the Baptist church in Wellsville, but as he owns property in Mexico and it is the center of his work, decided to make his home in that city. His many friends wish him prosperity in his new home.—Wellsville Optician.

John Myers has gone to Oklahoma City where he has a position in the Lee Huchins Hotel as clerk.

...DEATHS...

Mrs. Leonard Schuchman, 58 years old, died at her home in Kansas City, Thursday afternoon.

The body was brought to Mexico Friday and the funeral was held at the home of Ollie Hendrix, on Saturday morning, the Rev. S. W. Hayne officiating.

Mrs. Schuchman formerly lived in Mexico but left here about 7 years ago. She is survived by her husband and six children, as follows:

Mrs. Pete Hensel, of this city; Mrs. George Helwig of this county; George, Charles, Will and Louis, of Kansas City.

Mrs. Schuchman was a splendid Christian woman with a host of friends in this city. Her loss will be deeply felt. The Ledger joins in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mrs. Nannie Kennan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kennan, died at her home north of Thompson Friday night. The funeral was held at Co. 1st in the family lot there. Besides her parents, Miss Kennan, who was well known in Mexico, is survived by one brother, Jack. She was a cousin of Misses Hattie and Carrie Kennan, of Mexico and Mrs. W. D. Mason who lives north of town. The Ledger joins other friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved.

Brooch King, a prominent farmer of the Skinner neighborhood, died at his home suddenly Sunday evening. Mr. King was well known throughout the county and had many friends who will mourn his death. The Ledger joins other friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved.

MRS. ALFORD CLEANS UP.

The winners in the Single-Comb Buff Orpington class are: Mrs. Leo Alford, Vandalia, third and fourth for the cocks, second, third and fifth for the hens, first, second and third for the cockerets, first and second for the pullets, first and second for the pen.—University Missourian.

TWO MORE SMALLPOX CASES.

Dr. R. C. Strode, County Health Officer, was out in the Gant neighborhood, Wednesday, and quarantined two more cases of smallpox. They were in the families of J. A. Childers and Mr. Flood.

WEDDINGS

Clark Elmer McDowell, of Silcox, Lincoln county and Miss Mary Eliza Beth Morris, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Morris, of Auxvasse, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday, the Rev. G. A. Mitchell, of Mexico, officiating. The bridegroom is a hustling young farmer and an excellent gentleman. The bride is a charming and accomplished young lady very popular in her community. The Ledger joins other friends in extending congratulations to this happy young couple.

L. P. Geiger, formerly of Mexico, has taken in partnership M. I. French formerly of Bowling Green, and will practice law with offices in the Third National Bank Building in St. Louis.

HOW TO BREAK UP A BAD COLD.

Geo. P. Plung, of Hamburg, N. Y., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will break up a cold the quickest of anything I have ever used." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic. It is most effective and is pleasant and safe to take. Try it. For sale by Buckner Drug Co.

STATE EDITORS FORM MUTUAL AID LEAGUE

St. Louis, Jan. 16.

Twenty-five Missouri editors have formed an intrastate news and advertising association, intended not only to swell the dividends of the respective publications, but increase the efficiency of the news service in small towns. It is known as the Missouri Associated Afternoon Newspapers.

L. M. White, associate editor of the the Mexico Ledger, is chairman of the commission which will control the organization. The other members are J. B. Powell, of the University Missourian and E. E. Swain of the Kirksville Express.**Vandale cut the lining from one of Hill's coats Sunday night.**

The office of city marshal was abolished by municipal authorities here to day and now Gas City, with a population of 1200, is said to be the largest town in the State without a police officer.

"There is so little for a Marshal to do here," said Councilman Curran Wright, "that we came to consider such an individual an expensive luxury, and so abolished the office."

There are no jails in Gas City.

Mrs. Richard North is quite ill.

FALSE REPORT.

The report that Miss Lillie Robinson, daughter of Mrs. J. H. Robinson, is suffering with or has been exposed to smallpox is denied by the city physician, who has investigated the case. Miss Dora Cuthbert, who formerly boarded at the Robinson home, has not been there for sometime before she was taken ill.

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